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## ST. LAURENT OPENS NEW PARLIAMENT THIS WEEK

This week Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent opens the first session of the new Canadian Parliament in Ottawa. He will have greater numerical support than any previous Prime Minister — including the venerable Mackenzie King. The new Prime Minister and the former leader are shown shaking hands in the presence of Governor General Viscount Alexander.

### MORINVILLE NEWS

MORINVILLE. — The Morinville C.Y.O. will hold a social evening in the Morinville Community hall on September 18 at 8:30 o'clock. Local and surrounding district C.Y.O. members are invited to attend.

Mr. C. N. Lavallee is back from Banff hospital. He is spending a month at home then will return to Banff.

Barn dance Friday, Sept. 16 at 9 p.m. Proceeds to the Northern Alberta Crippled Childrens fund. Come one, come all.

Miss Helen Grant from Cardiff is now employed by the Royal Bank of Canada, Morinville branch.

The cement sidewalks have been extended as far as the Morinville Community hall.

Raymond Gosselin is leaving shortly for St. John's College in Edmonton.

The road work on main street is advancing rapidly and the hard surfacing should commence very shortly.

Young Robert and Ronald St. Laurent, sons of Jos. St. Laurent, have returned from New Westminster, where they spent the summer holidays.

We are assured that the Credit Union building will be completed in about two weeks and that the new vault will be absolutely "burglarproof." Lucien Letourneau is in charge of construction.

Mr. Louis Tremblay had a very successful fishing trip to Cold Lake.

### LEGAL NEWS

LEGAL. — Mr. and Mrs. Cote and daughter from Niagara Falls are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stack.

On Sunday, Sept. 18, there will be a bingo party. Proceeds will go to the church.

Andre Dube left last week and will be working in Grimshaw.

Guy Corriere left for his second year at the seminary in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dechamplain have returned to Legal after spending some time with their son Rev. Father Claude Dechamplain in Notikewin, Alta.

Dreams are coming true, we're going to have a dance hall soon.

Miss Fernande Martineau has

### Booster Club Achievement Day

VIMY. — Vimy Food Booster Club members last Thursday held an achievement day to terminate their summer's work and study.

The meeting, held in the school, was highlighted by attractive displays of table settings and prepared foods. The meeting was opened by the president, Miss Cecile Laplante, following a showing of films on the need of planned meals and other items of interest to club members and audience alike.

Miss Whaley, district home economist, after judging displays of pot-holders, soft custard, soups, biscuits, muffins, etc., gave a short comment on each. Miss Seldom judged table settings, menus and project books. Centre of attraction was a beautiful dinner-table setting. Attractively arranged silver, centrepiece, appetizers, etc., were in themselves worth seeing.

Breakfast, supper and lunch settings also were displayed. Menus for these were very well planned according to the Canada Food Rules. Miss Seldom congratulated the girls in choosing inexpensive foods which were appropriate to the time of year and were still very colorful.

Lunch was served and a judging competition among the members brought the meeting to a close.

Miss Germaine Dusseault and Miss Cecile Laplante will take part in the provincial judging competitions at Olds during the last days of September. Provincial winners will then take part in the final competitions in Toronto in November.

completed her school work and is employed at the office of the Misericordia hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Lorieau and baby daughter are spending their holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lorieau in Falher.

(Too late for last week)

A miscellaneous shower was held at Mrs. N. Belley's residence on Sunday, Sept. 4, for Miss Kathleen Currie who is to be married to Roderique Belley on Sept. 13.

A weiner roast for the C.Y.O. was held on Sunday evening, Sept. 4 on the ball grounds. A large number of young people attended and enjoyed themselves very much.

### New Buildings

MORINVILLE. — Mrs. Laura Rivet, whose shop was burned out in the fire which also destroyed Morinville Electrical shop and Roley's Jewelry store, is rebuilding on the old site, on Main street.

The Credit Union Bank is also building next to present offices on Main street.

### Annex Nearing Completion

VIMY. — Building of a 30,000-bushel annex to the Alberta Pacific elevators operated by Mr. Alreda Fortier is nearly completed.

The new addition being built will considerably increase the holding capacity of grain for the steadily rising grain farming community. Less than three weeks was needed for the 30x60 foot construction elevated on the north side of the main building.

### Oil Items

Increased refinery output will permit higher oil well allowables in Alberta. Imperial's Edmonton refinery has almost doubled production recently and conditions have improved at several other refineries.

Imperial Oil has asked permission to extend the company's 450-mile Edmonton-Regina pipeline eastward to the Great Lakes area. Application was made to the Board of Transport Commissioners for the extension, said to involve expenditure of \$100,000,000 for the 1,100 miles from crude oil source to terminal.

Radio active materials are being considered as aids in recovery of oil. Radio-active compounds would be injected into wells and their course traced with delicate instruments. Information so gained would give better control of underground fluids and thus lead to recovery of oils which presently could not be produced economically.

McMURRAY. — We have had our first touch of winter here. There were a few snow flakes on Saturday morning. At Fort Chipewyan they had winds at 35 miles an hour, and some snow too.

### PROPOSES CIVIC CENTRE BE ON ST. ALBERT TRAIL

ST. ALBERT. — An Edmonton businessman who requested his name be withheld has proposed that Edmonton's civic centre be erected in St. Albert or along the St. Albert Trail.

His proposal is not as startling as would appear at first glance. Recently it has been proposed to take in a number of outlying communities with Edmonton, or at least to make some arrangement on utilities.

The McGill University experts on town planning have recommended that the civic centre not be in the centre of the city.

Putting a large civic centre on the St. Albert Trail would permit spacious grounds, the gentleman who made the proposal stated. The city would undoubtedly grow up around it in years to come. If residents of Edmonton had to use motor cars or a bus to reach the civic centre it would be just as easy to reach on the St. Albert Trail as any other outlying part of Edmonton.

Certainly, a civic centre on the St. Albert Trail would tend to bring traffic, and normal city growth, in the direction of St. Albert.

### UTILITIES FOR ST. ALBERT

St. Albert has benefitted little from its proximity to boom town, Edmonton.

Only nine miles away, about 20 to 25 minutes by car, the centre of the city is as readily reached as from some outlying parts of the city itself.

Probably the principal reason St. Albert has attracted so few new residents is its lack of running water, sewerage and natural gas. All efforts to obtain these utilities on the part of more aggressive members of the community have been blocked.

Many residents feel that taxes provision of these utilities would impose would be more than they could afford. But there is another way of looking at it. The utilities would undoubtedly attract a great many residents who would swell the tax rolls.

For persons residing in St. Albert but working in Edmonton, bus schedules have scarcely been designed. More than likely bus companies would re-design their schedules if more persons were commuting.

In both cases it looks as if it were something like which comes first, the chicken or the egg.

Mayor Harry Ainlay has proposed consulting surrounding municipalities to Edmonton to consider bringing them within the city limits, the question of provision of utilities being entailed. The municipal district of Sturgeon was to be included.

St. Albert would be well advised to consider any favorable proposal which would bring it utilities, which apparently it is unable to provide on its own.

The conclusion seems inescapable that, at present, the town of St. Albert has a better opportunity than ever before in its history to expand. That expansion will only come about either through a comprehensive utilities program or through Edmonton bursting even further at the seams in St. Albert's direction. In the latter case, the utilities question would become even more imperative.

Utilities cost money. Yet in this case the money should pay dividends. Besides running water and gas, a few good sidewalks would come in handy.

Many persons presently are not paying taxes to the town. More general prosperity which an influx of residents should bring might add many present non-payers to the rolls as well as the new residents themselves.

Now is the time to act.

### IT HELPS

Ezra Pound, who is not only under indictment for high treason but also in an insane asylum, was awarded the \$1,000 prize for the best 1948 American poetry by the Fellows in American Letters of the Library of Congress. You don't have to be crazy to write poetry like Ezra Pound but it helps.

### CROSSWORD PUZZLE INSIDE!

This week we start a popular newspaper feature — the weekly crossword puzzle. Another "extra" for subscribers of our paper, sharp-witted readers will get much enjoyment by working out each puzzle. The correct solution to this week's crossword problems will be published with another puzzle next week.

## COMMUNITY PUBLICATIONS OF ALBERTA

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## Federal Provincial Affairs Minister Greatly Needed

Ottawa contemplates a Minister of Provincial Affairs. This not only seems a logical extension of liaison in government—the provinces have ministers of municipal affairs—but also it will serve an eminent purpose if it helps smooth over federal-provincial relations which have been assuming evermore threatening proportions in recent years.

Had not the war overshadowed its importance and robbed it of its high value, the Rowell-Sirois Commission Report might have become one of the truly important documents in our constitutional history. It is not only readable but approaches its problem in masterly fashion.

Undoubtedly the governments have absorbed some of its conclusions, and the federal government has indicated it intended to approach solutions on the general lines advocated, but it is now dated to the point where its recommendations could only be adopted piecemeal.

Time has shown that the Canadian Constitution (the British North America Act) did not settle to a nicety the respective powers of province and central government. Studied in relation to contemporary history, it is beyond question that the original intention was to establish a strong central government. Sir John A. Macdonald undoubtedly was of this persuasion, and the Imperial Government as well.

At the outset, appeals to Privy Council tended to strengthen federal power. It could be contended, not without reason, that as long as a threat from the United States remained, the Imperial Government favored a strong central administration. When this threat diminished, then patently disappeared, a strong federal government became a bit of a thorn in the side of the United Kingdom government.

And appeals to the Privy Council reflect this change in attitude. Decisions now began to lean toward the provinces.

In times of emergency, such as the depression, public opinion—if nothing else—tended to partial to federalism. This, of course, became even more accentuated during war.

With responsibilities beginning to shift to lower levels in peace, demand for more responsibility for the provinces was bound to arise. Before it breaks into open squabbles, it would be just as well if machinery were established to sort out the points of difference.

Now that appeals to the Privy Council have been abolished, the Supreme Court of Canada becomes arbitrator on dominion-provincial rights. With no remote reflection on the court intended, as it is, in effect, a federal body, the dominion might be placed in an unenviable position in an acrimonious dispute with the provinces.

No one hopes, nor anticipates, this will arise, but it would certainly be a step in the right direction if something could be done to try and eliminate disputes at the source, and a sound basis of co-operation established, no matter what political party were in power, federally or provincially.

Margaret Munnerlyn Mitchell Marsh, 49, author of the world-famous novel, "Gone With the Wind," died as the result of injuries received when she was run over by an automobile. The driver had nine previous traffic convictions. In the hands of some persons an automobile can be as dangerous as a loaded revolver.

An Alberta farm machinery dealer ran into a new excuse for a farmer's preference for old-time methods. Noticing a farmer hoeing potatoes, he asked: "Why don't you use a cultivator?"

"It's easier to quit this way," replied the farmer.



Confidentially

## Sucker Luck Held Even After Death

By JAY LLOYD

Many persons have told me how they narrowly missed making a fortune in the sensational stock market rise of Quaker Oats. But I favor, along, allegedly true stories concerning Andrew Stewart. The reason is not simply because Andrew did make a fortune but also because it was one of the very rare occasions when a sucker was not a sucker in the end—indeed through being a sucker in the first place.

As part of a deal, a stock and bond salesman named Malcolm Macdonald took in 5,000 shares of Quaker Oats stock and sold it through the brokerage house he represented, but found that, while 1½% were asked, there was no bid.

During his rounds he tried to sell Andrew Stewart some oil royalties. One of the reasons the oil royalties would also have made him a fortune in this particular case, which cannot be sold of oil royalties in general, as many an investor has discovered.

## WORTHLESS STUFF

"I'm not buying any more of that worthless stuff," declared Andrew. "And as for that Catholic—Andrew as a good Catholic, come on over here."

Although he suspected this was one of the Cadillac properties, Macdonald never said a word until he had persuaded Stewart to let him have a look at it, knowing that if he had said a word before, he had bought a car or a mine even if he told him. It proved to be Thompson-Cadillac, then selling for 48¢.

Macdonald kept referring to it as the Catholic, the old man winning each time he said it, until he finally wore him down to a point he was glad to exchange his 5,000 shares for 5,000 shares of Macdonald's Pennine Quaker Oats stock. Macdonald had three certificates, two of 2,000 and one of 1,000. He clipped the three together and put a note on it:

"Some day this will be worth \$20."

Stewart forgot about the tin can in which he kept evidence of lack of sales resistance until one day he met the county reeve.

## NOT INTERESTED

"You should have been in town today," Andrew," said Reeve George Nesbitt. "Was the market ever going crazy?"

"No interest to me," said Stewart. "Thought you bought stocks," said Nesbitt.

Stewart was somewhat annoyed. "If I had the \$18,000 I have thrown away, I could sure do with some of it now," he said. "But price of farm produce the way it is."

"You know," continued Nesbitt, "with the subject still on my mind, there was one stock went from 12 cents to 120 cents."

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The day Stewart came to town to cash in the first person he went to see was Charles Smith, who had sent Macdonald to him. "Know where Macdonald is these days?" he asked Charlie.

"Not," replied Smith, smirking trouble.

When Stewart told him what he wanted, Macdonald for, Charlie smelled something else—money of course, his 5,000 shares. But Smith new his man and didn't rush things, using psychology on him he knew would work from past experience.

## WANTED SHARE

For two days, the two of them went on a bender. Charlie telling Stewart that now he had made his fortune the proper place to keep it was the bank—not squander it on Quemont. "I'll get you another home, and last, but not least, that this was wasting Stewart's time because he wasn't making any money doing it."

## Prehistoric Man - I Don't Believe It!

By T. W. PUE

## MAN AN "EVOLUTURE"

I have been reading "Prehistoric Man," sent me by the Non-Fiction Book- of the Month Club. It is written by a professor of Natural History who professes to know every animal that has ever lived to perfection some 40,000 years ago and is growing more perfect year by year.

According to this author, this was not the real origin of man; seen in the original creature (not a good word—creature means created; better call him "hominid") instead, took on man-like characteristics ages before the form of a lemur. This is a new development from the theory that man came from monkeys.

The book reads like an imaginative account of a

fairy tale, which is what I consider it to be. And I don't believe in Prehistoric Man.

## THERE'S ANOTHER EXPLANATION

I can't accept the theory that mankind is a product of evolution for several reasons. I believe that man was created, as the record of creation itself, originally written, was made by a reputable writer, 4,000 years ago you can't, therefore, say the creature was Prehistoric.

The Book of Genesis is part of the Old Testament, King James and Roman Catholic Bibles.

Besides those three divisions there are some 500 other divisions of Christianity—various sects loosely termed Protestants—who also accept Genesis as the word of God.

As to me the explanation of the origin of man as given to the world by Moses some 2,000 years before Christ, is complete and acceptable.

## FACTURE OF SCIENCE

The big mistake that scientists make is in attempting to prove the truths they dig up without allowing for at least one divine miracle. That miracle is the origin of life.

What is life. A soldier runs across a field in the face of scattered rifle fire. A bullet strikes him in the temple and he drops dead. Later, companions go out in the night and bring him back—body, bone, flesh, clothing and equipment.

He is all there—just as he was a few moments before being hit by the bullet. Yet there is one thing

## REDEMPTION!

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missing. It is the life he had. Where did it go? Without that life the soldier is useless. He is nothing.

Scientists can duplicate in a laboratory the chemical compositions of living things. But they cannot create living things because they cannot inject that unknown factor—life.

The next I want to make is this. Don't turn God out of your calculations unless you can prove, not the origin of man, but the origin keys.

## I BELIEVE

I hold to the story of creation as given in Genesis because there is none better. When I accept the doctrine of an Almighty God, I have no other moral problem than the origin of God. I believe to try to prove every miracle of life and the universe without God I would be in a difficult position indeed. I would be led into by-paths of indecision and frustration.

## AN ANALOGY

I'd be like a man who, seeing the workings of a washing machine light bulb, radio and electric fence and understanding their mechanical features, still tried to prove their working without accepting the miracle of electricity, simply because he can't prove the origin of electricity.

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It's with life. I can understand the explanation for many things only by accepting a principle for which I have no explanation. God is the explanation—I know he exists because he makes things work—but I can't explain his existence.

Two weeks ago I wrote an article describing my personal impressions of the Hutterites. A number of people have written me to say the subject of my writings better than I do have written some protestation. As far as I know, what I wrote was what I knew from first-hand knowledge.

This is a free paper, published in a free country and anyone is free to express contrary views by simply writing a letter to the editor and giving us permission to publish it.

## Hot Dog

There was a man who lived by the side of the road and he sold hot dogs, recounts George T. Trindle, Jr. He was hard of hearing, so he had no radio. He had trouble with his eyes, so he read no newspapers.

But he sold good hot dogs. He put signs up on the highway, telling how good they were. He stood on the side of the road and cried, "Buy a hot dog, mister!" And people bought. He increased his meat and bun orders. He bought a bigger stove, to take care of his trade.

He finally got his son home from college to help him. But then something happened. His son said, "Father, haven't you been listening to the radio? Haven't you been reading the newspapers? There's a big depression on. The European situation is terrible. The domestic situation is worse. Everything's going to pot."

Whereupon the father thought: "Well, my son's been to college, he reads the papers and he listens to the radio, and he ought to know."

So the father cut down on his advertising signs, and no longer bothered to stand out on the highway to sell his hot dogs. And his hot dog sales fell almost overnight.

"You're right, son," the father said to the boy. "We certainly are in the middle of a great depression."

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### Free Freight On Grain Proposed For Dry Areas

Extension of free-freight on shipments of seed and feed into the drought areas of Saskatchewan and Alberta was proposed in a communication to the Dominion Minister of Agriculture by the North-West Line Elevators Association, released recently. Since 1941 the Dominion Government has been paying freight from the head of the Great Lakes on grains shipped to Eastern feeders and freight from Alberta on grains shipped to British Columbia feeders. The cost to the Dominion Government has been \$125,000,000.

The letter to the Dominion Government reads:

"The Rt. Hon. J. G. Gardiner,  
The Minister of Agriculture,  
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Gardiner:

"As you are aware, the shipment of large quantities of feed and seed grain into drought stricken areas of Saskatchewan and Alberta will be necessary this winter.

"Since 1941, the Dominion Government has been paying freight charges on grains shipped from the head of the Great Lakes to livestock and poultry feeders and dairy operators in Eastern Canada, and from Alberta points to British Columbia feeders. Recently this free freight was extended to the newly organized Province of Newfoundland.

"We strongly urge that this free freight policy be extended to seed and feed shipped into the drought areas of the Prairie Provinces. We consider that the farmers of Western Canada, and particularly those in the drought areas, are deserving of the same subsidies that are extended to feeders in other parts of Canada. It would permit the drought area farmers to retain their essential livestock, and to engage in feeding livestock and poultry for marketing, and to carry on dairy operations, at least, in even competition, as to costs, with farmers and feeders in other parts

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of Canada who are now favored with the freight subsidy.

"In view of the fact that this free freight subsidy was extended to Newfoundland, without reference to Parliament, we take it that the Government has equal power to extend this needed assistance to farmers in the drought areas of Saskatchewan and Alberta. We, therefore, urge that immediate action be taken in order to prevent drought area farmers of Western Canada from being forced to sacrifice their livestock, poultry and dairy herds.

Your very truly,  
CECIL LAMONT,  
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## New Alberta Senator Is Man of the People

J. W. Stambaugh, President of the Alberta Liberal Association, was appointed to the Canadian Senate last week.

A man who has lived close to the soil all his life, and therefore close to the people of Alberta, Mr. Stambaugh is well equipped by background and experience to represent the people of Alberta in the senior legislative house in Ottawa.

### EARLY RESIDENT BRUCE DISTRICT

John Wesley Stambaugh, 61, has been farmer and machine agent at Bruce, in the Edmonton area, for 4 years and head of the Alberta Liberal Association since 1945. His appointment to the senate completes the list of Alberta members of the upper chamber.

Other Alberta members are: Hon. James A. Mackinnon, Edmonton; Hon. Aristide Blais, formerly of Edmonton and now in Vancouver; Hon. W. A. Buchanan, lethbridge; Hon. F. W. Gerhard, Medicine Hat; Hon. G. H. Ross, Calgary.

Mr. Stambaugh was shingling the roof of a church at Bruce when informed Wednesday of his appointment. After receiving congratulations of his family and friends, he returned to his shingling job.

### PARTY WORKER

Mr. Stambaugh has been active in Liberal party work for 38 years. He has held numerous offices in provincial and federal constituency associations.

He was born July 1, 1888, at



J. W. STAMBAUGH

Melvin, Mich., and received his education there. When 17, he came to Alberta and homesteaded near the present town of Bruce, 75 miles east of Edmonton.

After farming for a few years, Mr. Stambaugh moved to Edmonton. In 1911 he was president of the North Edmonton Liberal Association and the same year headed the North Edmonton Civic Association. After living here three years, he returned to farming operations at Bruce.

Mr. Stambaugh recalls that he commenced homestead operations with a team of oxen which he bought in St. Albert. A wagon was purchased in Edmonton and

was born July 1, 1888, at

the outfit covered the stretch to Bruce with Mr. Stambaugh at the controls.

In 1927 Mr. Stambaugh disposed of his original farm and the same year bought another near Bruce. Later he also engaged in private business in Bruce operating a machine agency in partnership with R. J. Wilson.

### SCHOOL TRUSTEE

For many years Mr. Stambaugh has been a school trustee for the district. He first became a trustee in 1912. He has been a member of the Bruce school board for many years. When the larger unit known as Holden was organized he was a member of the first divisional board.

For some time he was a member of the Viking municipal hospital board.

Mr. Stambaugh was president of the Bruce Constituency provincial Liberal Association and the Camrose federal Liberal Association. In 1945, Mr. Stambaugh was elected president of the Alberta Liberal Association, which post he has since held. He succeeded H. J. Montgomery of Wetaskiwin.

In 1912 Mr. Stambaugh married Miss Amy E. Lake, of Edmonton. Their five children are sons Lyle, who is operating a farm; Kenneth who is a machinery agent; Donald, a garage operator; Jack, oil company agent; and one daughter, Evelyn, Mrs. C. E. Nolan, all at Bruce.

## ROLLY VIEW NEWS

**ROLLY VIEW.** — The Rolly View young people surprised Ian Kals on Sunday night on the occasion of his 19th birthday. A delightful evening was spent and Mrs. Kals provided a delicious lunch.

A farewell party was held at the home of Arnold Wedman for Mrs. Lydia Wedman and Martha who are moving to Edmonton shortly.

On the sick list was the small son of R. Schubert but he is now on the road to recovery.

Stucco crews are busy putting the last coat of stucco on the new church building.

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FOR SALE — Five-room modern home, suite in basement, sewer, electricity, water; 20-minutes drive to Edmonton centre on paved highway. Also player piano. Good condition. Box 64, Morinville. P 3-10-17-23

FOR SALE OR SWAP — Nice corner lot with small house for swap or swap located in the oil bowls of Opal. Contact Mrs. Betts, 12209 125 St., Edmonton. C 3-10-17

FOR SALE —  $\frac{1}{2}$  section N.W. section 1, township 51, range 23, 4th meridian;  $\frac{1}{2}$  N.E. section 2, township 51, range 23, 4th meridian;  $\frac{1}{2}$  S.W. section 2, township 51, range 23, 4th meridian. Building, good soft water supply, 1½ miles to school and station, 19 miles from Edmonton. 125 acres cultivated, 100 acres cleared, 120 acres in alfalfa, 50 acres Reed Top hay. Apply E. Heidebrand, Leoma, Alta. C T-F

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FOR SALE — Single-barrel, 12-gauge shotgun. Riverside Arms Co., full choke bore, 2¾" chamber, accurate, bore A-1, good shape. \$15.00. Apply to Box 33, Thorhild, Alta. P S-17

FOR SALE — Spring roosters for sale. Apply H. F. Koester, Rockyford, Alta. C S-10

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## Bird Sees First-Hand South American Revolution

By JACK BIRD

(This is the final article of five in a series written especially for Community Publications of a 15,000 mile journey to the West Indies and South America).

Less than half-an-hour after crossing the equator we were in Belém, Brazil, my ultimate destination on the trip.

Brazil is so large that it is more than half the area of the whole continent. Indeed, the United States of Brazil are larger than the United States of America.

### WEATHER HOT

Belém—also called Para, for it is on the Para River—is 100 miles south of the equator, yet the temperature next day was only 82 in the shade. But it was a different kind of 82 than you will find anywhere in Canada. At noon the sun was almost directly overhead; my shadow was only two feet long, and perspiration simply oozed out of me. I'd wipe my face and neck with a handkerchief, and almost right away it would be time to wipe again. If I leaned forward a miniature waterfall would drip off the end of my chin; I could feel it trickle down my chest and back; my shirt was wet and clung to me. By 4 o'clock, though, the day began to cool.

### RECEPTION WARM

I returned to Venezuela, flying across the whole northern border. At the four cities I stopped, armed soldiers were everywhere, for the country was in the throes of a revolution. At one air port they even had men and a machine gun dug in right by the landing strip where we stopped. But I saw no violence, for the army took over without firing a shot.

Then I flew to Barranquilla, in the Republic of Colombia. Here the temperature was 75, and dropped only two degrees during the night, with no cool breeze; so that, as in Brazil, I perspired freely, and could not sleep, but lay there all night long watching the bats, like little black shadows, flit in and out of my screenless window.

My last view of South America was when I looked over my left shoulder, through the port hole of our Convair 240, and saw way back and below, the flat, blue, level country at the mouth of the Magdalena River, with grey storm clouds gathering with tropical swiftness.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

**FOR SALE** — Good business lot in Grassland with small public garage and dwelling in rear. Apply Walter Tiedemann, Grassland, Alta. C S-17

**FOR RENT** — Two rooms suitable for office, well lighted on main street. Apply A. Gaberel, Lac la Biche. G S-TF

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**FUR FARM FOR SALE** — 34½ acres one mile from Lac la Biche. Good house, barn, well, mink yard and other buildings. Terms on the spot. Apply C. M. N. Heron, Inspector of Fisheries, Lac la Biche. Phone 10. G S-TF

**FOR SALE** — One-ton truck, 1938 Chevrolet, in good condition. Apply Pete Gaberel, Lac la Biche. G S-TF

**FOR SALE** — One Model B Allis-Chalmers Tractor, Plow and Power Mower. One John Deere Stationary Engine for Combining. One Ford Model A tractor with new motor. Above machinery all in A1 condition. Apply Sluclair Gauthier, Plamondon, Alberta. C S-17-24

**FOR SALE** — A white billy-goat for sale, three years old, \$10.00. See Mr. H. F. Madlung, Sangudo. C S-17

Two-and-a-half hours later we landed on the 144-mile long mountainous island of Jamaica. It was good to be back in a country where they speak English, but better still was to be back in a place where the accent the money you have to spend. That was the bugbear on the whole tour, for although I had enough money, I didn't have enough of the most-needed kind of money, for it was Uncle Sam's dollars that was real legal tender in most of the places I visited.

### RETURN TO CANADA

After 13 days in Jamaica, where we experienced the hottest weather on the whole tour—for it was 88 one day—I left at quarter to one in the afternoon, and was in Toronto, Ontario, at ten after nine at night of the same day; and we had spent an hour at Nassau, in the Bahamas, our only stop.

Our pilot told us that on the last stretch of our flight we were doing 300 miles an hour. We crossed the west end of Lake Ontario in 10 minutes.

And so I returned home, a few days later, from a trip that once more, for several months at least, had satisfied my longing for far away places.

### WANDERING RIVER NEWS

(Too late for last week)

**WANDERING RIVER** — Wandering River has a brand new 30-passenger bus which looks like a million dollars!

Not only the new bus, but also a new Wandering River highway which is now under construction. The new highway goes straight south of the Wandering River village via Lac la Biche bridge, then to Gourin which is on the Lac la Biche highway.

The engineer, Mr. H. K. Cooper, Mr. Franchuk, Mr. Ed Sundt, Mr. John Karpetz and Mr. Walter Piontek are surveying the new highway.

St. Paul had quite a few visitors from Breynat last week, two cars full—so happy days, boys.

Farmers in the area are getting through cutting grain, and threshing is just around the bend.

A silver wedding anniversary party was given to Mr. and Mrs. George Strembitsky of Wandering River which took place Sept. 3 in the Wandering River hall. Quite a number of people from Edmonton and Smoky Lake also attended the party. Mr. and Mrs. Strembitsky received a very lovely gift from the people.

So happy sailing, Mr. and Mrs. Strembitsky. In another 25 years we will give you a golden weddng anniversary.

### KIKINO NEWS

**KIKINO** — Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bouchie and family had a terrible mishap the other day. Their home burned down to ashes when they were out having. They never saved a single thing. The people of Kikino are going to try and build a home for them.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Calliou of Kikino a son on Sept. 3 in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Calliou have just brought their baby boy from the hospital. On Saturday, Sept. 3, he got badly burned with a teapot full of hot tea. We all hope he gets better soon.

The men are all out at their camps, busy making hay.

The oil men are back at Kikino. They intend to be around most of the winter.

### MCMURRAY NEWS

**MCMURRAY** — Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gall left for Edmonton this week for three weeks' holiday. Mr. T. Cook is managing the Hudson Bay store in his absence.

Mrs. M. Scott and Miss Roberta Coffey returned from an extended trip to Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott of Waterways left for six weeks' holidays in the States. Mr. B. Young will replace Mr. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Olson have moved to Waterways from McMurray.

Mr. G. Baer, district superintendent for the Hudson Bay Co., spent a few days in McMurray and Waterways, inspecting the two stores.

Joe Couture left this week for school in Edmonton.

### ELLSCLIFF NEWS

**ELLSCLIFF** — Mr. and Mrs. Joe Redmanovich were visitors at Ellscliff for the week-end. At present they reside in Cadomin but in home here.

Dance at Ellscliff on September 2 turned out as could be expected during such a busy season. The crowd was not large but everyone present had a good time.

Clarence Sampert was very fortunate that he received no injuries when his truck caught fire last week.

East Park school has a new teacher this term. Welcome to the future hope to make their East Park Mrs. McEvans.

### New School Bus En Route to Boyle

**BOYLE** — Mitchell Harmata is en route to Boyle with a 36-passenger school bus which will be used for transporting pupils from Donatville and vicinity to Boyle.

His father John Harmata, received a wire on Wednesday last from Culbertson, Montana: "Everything fine, 1,200 miles yet to go."

Mitchell made a deal locally to pick up the brand new bus at Lymo, Ohio, 2,600 miles away.

Meanwhile his father has been taking 24 pupils to school in two automobiles.

### BOYLE NEWS

**BOYLE** — Of interest and importance to the members of the Anglican Church, the following schedule is arranged:

On Sunday, Oct. 2, Holy Trinity at Grassland 8 a.m.; St. Paul's Church, Boyle, 11 a.m.; St. Andrew's, Clinton, 2 p.m.; and All Saints, Athabasca, 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lucille Allan of Westlock was a recent visitor to Miss O. Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton have taken up residence in Boyle.

Miss Shirley Hall is attending college in Edmonton.

School has started. So has homework.

The Boyle district is experiencing a cold spell. It's certainly good that that 15 minute snow didn't last long.

Some farmers are finishing cutting while few others have started threshing.

### Primate to Visit Local Diocese

**BOYLE** — His Grace the Primate of all Canada, the Most Rev. G. F. Kingston, M.A., D.D., Ph.D., during his western tour will visit the Athabasca Deanery.

### BONDISS NEWS

**BONDISS** — Old Man Winter is coming soon and Bondiss is preparing for him. The people are in process of cutting grain and bringing in the gardens. Ruddocks have started to thresh their grain. Mr. Knaak and his outfit are threshing in Boyle. Henry Cuart, Robert Roski and Gilbert Ellsworth are the one from Bondiss on the outfit.

Miss Dorothy McMillan has gone to Edmonton on a business trip.

Dan Morrison, an old timer of Bondiss, has taken over the water tank job.

Mrs. A. E. Ellefson has returned from her visit to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Oswald announced the engagement of their daughter Ruby to Donald McMillan. They will be married this December.

Bondiss had its first snow on September 10.

### Obituary

**Boyle** — Wade Hard Brooks of Boyle, Alta., passed away on September 2, 1949, at the age of 82 years. He was born in Lamont, Mich., January 9, 1867.

He leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife Gladys; two sons and four daughters at Boyle and four sons and two daughters in the States; 21 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

### DONATVILLE NEWS

**DONATVILLE** — All the Donatville school kids wore smiling faces as the new school bus came to pick them up Monday, Sept. 12. They had been riding in cars the previous days.

On Saturday morning, Sept. 10, it really looked as if winter was here. It snowed all day Saturday. Lowest temperature was 32 degrees above. Fortunately the sun came out Sunday afternoon and marked the end of that storm.

### W.P. 64, Rge. 20 Detached From Hospital Area

**BOYLE** — It has been reported by Mrs. M. W. Hitchens, secretary of the Athabasca Municipal Hospital District that the Hon. W. W. Cross, minister of health, has included township 64, range 20, in the withdrawal area as of January 1, as a result of the recent vote.

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The Republican "Grand Old Party" has been out of power in the United States for 17 years and cannot elect a president for at least three more years. It is almost certain that Thomas E. Dewey, who was so certain of winning last year will not be permitted to run again. He thought he couldn't lose last fall—and never took defeat into his calculations, which were badly estimated. The "underdog" fighter—Harry Truman—is looking forward to prospects for a third term starting in 1952.

**GOOD THINGS TO EAT**

There is nothing like serving a cool, refreshing salad at the beginning of a meal, to tease the appetite; it also adds color and charm to the table. Be sure the salad plates are cold, before you serve them; and that the salad you serve blends with the rest of the meal.

1 teaspoon chopped chives  
2 hard boiled eggs sliced  
1-2 green pepper cut in rings  
1-4 cup French dressing  
Break lettuce in bowl and arrange sprigs of watercress over top. Pile chicken in centre, arrange radishes, chives, eggs and green pepper rings around edge. Just before serving add French dressing and toss lightly.

**GRAPE AND PEACH SALAD**

2 peaches sliced  
1 cup seedless grapes  
1 cup coarsely chopped cabbage  
Salt to taste  
Savory Mayonnaise  
Toss carrots and cabbage lightly; season and add savory mayonnaise.

**CARROT CUBE SALAD**

1 cup cubed carrot  
2 cups coarsely chopped cabbage  
Salt to taste  
Savory Mayonnaise  
Toss carrots and cabbage lightly; season and add savory mayonnaise.

3 bananas sliced and sprinkled with lemon juice  
1 cup white cherries  
1-2 cup pineapple diced  
1 cup marshmallows cut in fourths.

1-2 cup mayonnaise  
1-2 cup whipped cream  
Combine fruit and add marshmallows. Moisten with mayonnaise to which the whipped cream has been added. Serve on lettuce.

**SAVORY MAYONNAISE**

1-2 Cup mayonnaise  
3-4 teaspoon prepared mustard  
1 teaspoon Worcester shire sauce  
1-4 Cup cream  
1 teaspoon grated onion  
Just before serving combine ingredients in order named and mix thoroughly.

**AMBROSIA SALAD**

VEGETABLE SALAD

1 head lettuce  
1 bunch watercress  
1 cup cold chicken or other cold meat cut in strips  
3 radishes sliced

3 bananas sliced and sprinkled with lemon juice  
1 cup white cherries  
1-2 cup pineapple diced  
1 cup marshmallows cut in fourths.

1-2 cup mayonnaise  
1-2 cup whipped cream  
Combine fruit and add marshmallows. Moisten with mayonnaise to which the whipped cream has been added. Serve on lettuce.

**PEAR SALAD**

1 can pears or slices of fresh pears.  
Cream cheese  
Crystallized ginger  
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Both car and children are directed by remote control and local authorities are to order collapsible versions of the model for Safety First demonstrations at schools. The toy is expected to have considerable overseas demand.

1 cup pineapple juice  
1 cup shredded pimento  
1 cup grated cucumber  
1 cup shredded pineapple  
1-4 cup mayonnaise  
Pinch of salt

Dissolve gelatin in hot water.

When cool add other ingredients. Put into molds which have been greased with solid oil. Chill. Serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

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New Federal Cabinet ministers are Robert H. Walker, 34, left, M.P. for Queens-Lunenburg, N.S., and Stuart Garson, premier of Manitoba, who will be 50 next month.

## World in Review

**Bonn, Germany**—New German Republic of the West came into being with meeting of Parliament under Chancellor-designate Conrad Adenauer.

**St. John, N.B.**—Harnessing of the fast-moving tides of Passamaquoddy Bay for power, perennial proposal from the Maritimes, is again being revived. It is being

**University Fall Convocation**  
Special honors will be extended to the first members of convocation from the University of Alberta at fall convocation ceremonies to be held in Edmonton, October 22.

Original members of the first convocation held in 1908 will be guests of honor on the 41st anniversary of the founding of the University.

The first members will be given a prominent place in the academic procession during University fall convocation ceremonies and will be guests of the Board of Governors at a special luncheon in their honor.

Nearly 75 of the original 364 members of convocation have already been located by University authorities and the search is continuing for the remaining surviving members.

The first members of convocation are not graduates of the University in the usual sense, but were given ad eundum standing at the first convocation. When the University of Alberta was founded in 1908 the newly-appointed president, Dr. H. M. Tory, asked graduates of Canadian and British universities to register as members of convocation to commemorate the opening of the new University.

President Tory contacted clubs, professional groups, schools, and businesses in Alberta to find graduates for the first convocation.

Convocation ceremonies were held in the Edmonton Opera House in October, 1908 and the reception which followed in the Oddfellows Hall was described by a local newspaper as "the grandest and most popular social function ever held in Strathcona (South Edmonton)".

Original members of convocation who have not recently been in touch with the University of Alberta are asked to write to the Registrar, Mr. G. B. Taylor, a the University.

fought by some of the fishing interests, led by Senator Alexander Neil McLean, owner of the British Empire's largest sardine cannery, Connors Bros., Ltd.

**Mexico City**—Finance Minister Ramon Beteta, investigating silver smugglers, found that apparently Banco de Comercio, Mexico's largest banking house, was involved. Bank President Anibal de Iturbe informed him his chief of exchange had been enriching the bank by illegal means without his knowledge.

**Brazil**—Work has started on the Paulo Afonso Falls power project, expected to cost twenty million, to be finished in 1953, and produce 120,000 kilowatts after installation of first generators.

**Sofia**—The Comitoff met to consider what to do with Tito.

**Czechoslovakia**—The government has taken action to stamp out the pin-up girl and substitute in its place pictures of workers.

**Finland**—Russian-inspired, a strike of metal workers was said by Finland to be aimed at delaying delivery of Finnish reparations so an excuse might be provided for the Soviet to "intervene" under terms of the peace treaty.

**Camden, N.J.**—Death toll of 13 was taken by a gunman who suddenly appeared to lose his mind and shot up the community.

**Berlin**—Russia was rumored to be willing to make new proposals to the Western Powers to settle differences in Germany. Western diplomats described the rumors as a trial balloon.

**Dover**—With an Egyptian relay team joining the parade of successful swimmers of the English Channel, the French-English crossing was becoming so popular English cartoonists were suggesting installation of a traffic cop.

**London**—Britain's nationalized transport system showed a deficit of \$18,921,296 in its first year of operation.

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## Committee Appointed For New Cemetery

**SANGUDO.** — A meeting was held recently in the Legion Hall of persons interested in starting a new cemetery. A committee of five was appointed to attend to the business of organizing and setting up a cemetery. This committee is composed of Mr. R. Conrad, Mr. John Liss, Mr. T. Walton, Mr. R. Weidell and Mr. A. E. Sangudo.

Mrs. Peacock was asked to act as secretary. Already donations have been received and the subscription list is still open to anyone interested in helping this project along can give their donations to Mr. Conrad or Mrs. Peacock.

Following is a list of donations to date:

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## ONOWAY NEWS

**ONOWAY.** — Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Strohl of Onoway held open house to a great many friends on Saturday, Sept. 3, in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary.

The Achievement Day for the Boys Gardening Club for this year is dated for Saturday, Sept. 24. Films from the Department of Agriculture will be shown by Mr. Stewart of the Alberta Wheat Pool, and a tea will also be served at 3 p.m.

Maxine Reiner will entertain several of her school chums on her ninth birthday party to be held at her home September 14.

Mr. Ben Carr of Stanger is well on his way to recovery after a serious accident on the Stony Plain highway, six miles west of Edmonton. It is hoped he will again be home in a week or two.

"Back to School Days" are here again with a large increase in pupils and new accommodation. Onoway now boasts of eight up-to-date modern class rooms and fine playgrounds.

Mr. Edwin Eckart who has been in an Edmonton hospital quite ill, is hoped by all residents of Onoway, a speedy recovery.

Mr. Carl Berg, vice-president of the Trades and Labor Union of Edmonton, accompanied by his wife and friends from Vancouver, were visitors in Onoway over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dales of Edmonton were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Evanchuk over the week-end.

Rochelle Lenoir will entertain several little school chums at her home in honor of her ninth birthday on September 17.

## Remodel Hotel

**LAC LA BICHE.** — Lac la Biche hotel is to do a complete remodeling job.

Running water is to be installed in all rooms, extra toilets and showers are to be built, and the building generally overhauled.

## McMURRAY NEWS

Henry Stockl is out on a combined business and pleasure trip. Mr. and Mrs. C. Kleber left on their holidays this week. Mrs. Kleber left for Wadena, Sask., to visit her father. Mr. Kleber for Duncan, B.C., to visit his sister.

Mrs. E. Shanks and Margot left for Cumberland, B.C., to visit her mother.

Vic Tanner went up the Clearwater to fix his cabin for the winter. Mr. George Milne accompanied him to do some fishing.

Mrs. M. A. Jewitt left for Edmonton on a business trip to purchase her fall stock.

"Sandy Tweed" is flying out of McMurray for CPA in the absence of Stuart Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Meunier of Morville are visiting in Waterways with Mr. and Mrs. E. Meunier.

Mr. Ken Bird is assisting Mr. R. Hawkins in the CPA office. Mr. Bird, who is from Toronto, was stationed in Yellowknife before coming here.

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## Late Recognition Acknowledged

**LAC LA BICHE.** — Gordon Steinman is feeling a bit neglected. Gordon alternates on Canadian Coachways Edmonton-Lac la Biche run with Stan Dacyk, the persevering driver who took his coach passengers to their destination in spite of torrential rains and an impossible detour.

The Sunday night following the now well-known "Plamondon Corner incident," Gordon proved the detour was not impassable and that he was also possessed of determination, for he took the coach over the 15-mile detour. He admits it was quite a job, as he had to fell trees to patch up mud puddles, and all-in-all made far from rapid progress.

As he legitimately complained that nothing was said in the newspapers about his effort — in contrast to the writeup for the previous trip — his contribution to a growing tradition "the bus must go through" is hereby acknowledged.



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## Fall Cultivation Important

Moisture, as so many farmers experienced again this year, is the most important limiting factor in successful crop production in the Prairie Provinces. Cultivation, if properly carried out this fall, will destroy weeds and help to conserve moisture for next year's crop.

**Annual Weeds.** Our most troublesome annual weeds are Wild Mustard, Wild Oats, Pigweed, Ragweed and Russian Thistle. Shallow cultivation immediately after harvest will encourage many annual weed seeds to germinate this fall. The resulting plants will be killed by frost. Fall cultivation has been particularly effective in controlling Russian Thistle.

**Biennials or Winter Annuals.** Stinkweed is a typical example. The seeds of this weed germinate freely in the fall. Unfortunately, the young plants survive the winter frost without serious injury and are ready to grow early in the spring. Fall cultivation therefore is an effective means of controlling Stinkweed and other winter annuals.

**Perennial Weeds.** Many attempts to eradicate perennial weeds (Canada Thistle, Sow Thistle, etc.) by summerfalling fail because cultivation is not carried on into the late fall. Often, during the rush of harvest, the fallow is neglected. Thus, perennial weeds which have been weakened by repeated cultivations during the summer, to produce new top growth and store food in the roots. Fall cultivation is most important for the control of perennial weeds. Furthermore, it helps to control insect pests such as grasshoppers and sawflies. Fall tillage also greatly reduces the vigor of perennial weeds growing on stubble land.

**Cultivate Early.** Fall cultivation should be done as soon as the crop is harvested. Do not cultivate too deeply. Shallow tillage will not only destroy weeds but will be less wasteful of soil moisture. It will also help to prevent wash erosion which will serve to hold the winter's snow. The main object of fall cultivation is to conserve all of the autumn's rainfall for the next year's crop. Kill weeds and save moisture.

## To Higher Court

**LAC LA BICHE.** — Paul Tymchuk has appealed his interdict.

tion to the present session of Alberta Supreme Court. He was interdicted by Town Constable J. R. Moisey.

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